SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER

#### Banks.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

PAID-UP CAPITAL ..... 500,000 Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET,

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT Buys and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards' BILLS for COLLECTION, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS : Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum

ON CURRENT, DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Dally Balance.

APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the BALANCES of such claims, purchased on advantageous terms.

AGENCY OF THE NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE

E. W. RUTTER, Manager. HONGKONG BRANCH

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL .....\$7,500,000. RESERVE FUND ..... 4,000,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS .......

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-CHAIRMAN-IIon. JOHN BELL-IRVING. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN-W. H. FORBES, Esq. C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq. | S.C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. W. G. BRODIE, Esq. J. S. Moszs, Esq. H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. L. POESNECKER, Esq. F. HOLLIDAY, Esq. N. A. SIEBS, Esq. E. A. SOLOMON, Esq. B. LAYTON, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER. HUNGKONG-THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. MANAGER.

SHANGHAI-EWEN CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS-LONDON AND COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG-INTEREST ALLOWED. ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNT at the rate of 2 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:-For 3 months, 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of BANKING and EXCHANGE business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,

America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 4th September, 1888.

RULES OF THE

#### HONGKONGSAVINGS BANK.

I.-THE BUSINESS of the above BANK will be conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, on their premises in Hongkong. Business Hours on WEEK-DAYS, 10 to 3; SATURDAYS, 10 to 1. 2.-SUMS LESS THAN \$1, or MORE THAN \$250 at one time will not be received. No Depositor may deposit more than \$2,500

in any one year. 3.-DEPOSITORS in the SAVINGS BANK, having \$100, or more, at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the HONG-KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4-INTEREST at the rate of 38 % (per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances.

5.—EACH DEPOSITOR will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their PASS-BOOKS, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year about , the beginning of a January and

beginning of July. 6.—CORRESPONDENCE as to the Business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK BUSINESS, will be forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and Chine.

7. WITHDRAWALS may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book, are

FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, III

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

# Hongkong, 1st September, 1887.

#### NOTICE. HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS Boy's Own Annual, 1889. are respectfully informed that, if upon, Every Boy's their arrival in this HARBOUR none of the Girl's Owa COMPANY'S FOREMEN should be at hand, ORDERS FOR REPAIRS, if sent to the HEAD | Meizler's OFFICE, No. 14. Prays Central, will received New Dance Music, New Songs prompt attention.

In the event of complaints being found! nocessary, communication with the Undersigned ... yeary novel designs. is requested, when immediate steps will be taken. A large quantity of New Chesp Literature.

Sig Morrell Mackensie's Diary.

so rectify the cause of dies utilisation D CHATES Untimations.

# LANG&CO

TALL SILK HATS.
Drab Felt Hats. Black, Brown Drab and Grey Hard Felt Hats. Terai and other Soft Felts.

Tweed Hats and Caps in New Straw Hats and Pith Hats. Silk Umbrellas from \$5 cach, over too to choose from. A large assortment of Walking

Waterproof Coats, Leggings & Chair Aprons. Travelling Rugs and Scotch Mauds.

Over Coatings, Light & Heavy. | Overland Trunks, Gladstone

Ulster Tweeds. Fine Black Diagonal & Corkscrew for Dress Suits. Black, Blue and Brown Fancy and Diagonal Coatings. Fancy & Check Tweed Suitings. Trouserings in great variety of "Stripes, Checks and Plain.

Cricketing Flannel, Stripes, Checks and Plain. White and Fancy Vestings. French Printed Shirtings. Unshrinkable Flannel. Ready Made Ulsters in Stock. Solid Leather Portmanteaus.

Bags, and a variety of Travelling Cases, all sizes.

Winter, Medium and Summer Under Vests and Pants. Silk Half-Hose, Black, Navy and Colors. Lamb's Wool Merino and Lisle Thread Half-Hose. White Dress'Shirts.

Lacing & Elastic-side Walking Boots and Shoes. Shooting Boots, Rubber Boots. Patent Leather Boots & Shoes. Dancing Pumps, all sizes. Large Stock of Scaris, Ties, Handkerchiefs, Braces, &c.

ROBT. LANG & CO.

- Hongkong, 22nd February, 1888

# KELLY & WALSH, LD.

ARE NOW SHOWING-A VERY FINE COLLECTION

## ORNAMENTAL GLASS WARE.

DHOTOGRAPH FRAMES in a variety of new styles for Cabinets, Cartes, Promenade and Boudoir Size Pictures. WALKING STICKS in the natural Wood, Olive, Orange, Hazel, Thorn, Nutmeg, Cherry, Tex,

Vine, Wanghee, &c., &c. INKSTANDS in all the most recent, Ornamental and useful Patterns. 'SQUEEZER" PLAYING CARDS, Plain and Gilt Edges. New Scason's PATTERNS of ENGLISH WHIST CARDS.

New Season's BALL PROGRAMMES, MENUS, and GUEST CARDS.

### KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED,

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG. Hongkong, 5th December, 1888.

## LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR FIRST SHIPMENTS OF CHRISTMAS DELICACIES.

NEW SEASON'S PUDDING FRUITS in Bulk. Sultana and Pudding Raisins, Zante Currants, Peels &c. ---- SMYRNA FIGS. -

Shell Almonds, Brazil and Barcelona Nuts, Prime Ripe Stilton Cheese in jars. Canadian, Edam, Rochfort, Gorgonzola and Stilton Cheese. CONFECTIONERY.

Fondants, Dragees, Fruit Pates, Pastilles, Nougatines, Legumes, &c., &c. CHOCOLATE CREAMS.

Butterscotch, Cocoanut Ice, Everton Toffee, Lemon Toffee, Turkish Delight." COSAQUES and BONBONS.

**LANE: CRAWFORD&COX** 

Hongkong, 24th November, 1888.

## THE

## HALL& HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, LIMITED.

GENTLEMEN'S OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT,

JUST UNPACKED.

ONG CLOTH SHIRTS, LONG CLOTH DRESS SHIRTS,

LINEN COLLARS, New Shapes, LINEN CUFFS,

A splendid Assortment of SCARFS and TIES,

WHITE DRESS TIES, WHITE DRESS BOWS,

BLACK SILK SOCKS, DANCING PUMPS,

WHITE KID GLOVES, LAVENDER KID GLOVES,

LINEN POCKET HANDKERCHIEFS, BRACES,

ROWING and FOOTBALL JERSEYS, CARDIGAN JACKETS,

SILK UMBRELLAS, WATERPROOF COATS,

MERINO, CASHMERE, COTTON WOOL and LISLE THREAD SOCKS MERINO UNDER SHIRTS and PANTS,

SILK and WOOL UNDER SHIRTS and PANTS,

LAMBS WOOL UNDER SHIRTS and PANTS,

FELT HATS IN ALL THE NEWEST SHAPES, and COLORS,

TURKISH TOWELS, BATH BLANKETS, etc., etc., FOLIZ COMPANY LAD

Hongkong, 26th November, 1888.

# W.BREWERS

Christmas No. Graphic with 2 Coloured Plates 40c. | The Emperor Frederick's Diary and Blamarck's | CHINA, NAVIGATION COMPAN Wale Tide Mr. Caine's Trip Round the World. The Christmas Fine Art Gift. Book "Madame

Hopwood & Cren's Christmas Dance Album.

Association Mootballs, Avre's Boxing Gloves. Rugby ..... Champion Tennis Balls. A yery fine let of New Parisian Fancy Goods of

and pleasing Toys for Children of all ages. Fine Quality Leather Goods consisting of Pocket | above on WEDNESDAY, the 12th instant, New Season Bon Bons. Children's Shoes. 是在10年的10年中的11年中的11年中的11年的11年的11年的11年的11年

Chrysantheme" with 199 Steel illustrations.

A quantity of New-Fine Art Children's Books.

New French Mechanical Toys and many useful

WEREWER UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL

### Masonic.

OF HONGKONG, No. 618, S.C.

A NEMERGENCY MEETING of the abovenamed Lodge will be held in FREEMA sons' HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW, the 7th instant, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.

Hongkong, 30th November, 1888.

ST. JOHN OF HONGKONG, No. 618, S.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the above named Lodge will be held in FREEMASONS! HALL, Zetland 'Street, on THURSDAY, the 13th instant, at 8: for 8.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 5th December, 1888.

### Shipping.

STEAMERS.

THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIL COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK! THE Company's Steamship

"KONG BENG," Captain R. Jones, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 7th instant at

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG.

Hongkong, 3rd December, 1888.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. THE Steamship

"ARRATOON APCAR," Captain J. G. Olifent, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SATURDAY, the 8th instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, 4th Decemb.r, 1888. FOR NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship

"DUKE OF WESTMINSTER." Reynolds, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 9th instant. This Steamer has good Passenger Accom-

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 4th December, 1888. STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"PESHAWUR" will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English

Mails.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent.

THE Steamship

AH YON & Co. Hongkong, 5th December, 1888. 1232

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI,

AND TRIESTE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK

Captain F. Egger, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 11th of December, at NOON - For further Particulars regarding : Freight and Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company Praya Central

Hongkong, 1st December, 1888. 2010 1412 [121 "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA THE Steamship

MERIONETHSHIRE, Market 1993 Captain Dowling, will be despatched for the above Ports, on the 12th instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, 5th December, 1888;

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE HE Company's Steamship

A large selection of A.B.C. and Building Blocks, Harris, Commander, will be despatched

Men's Shoes and Dancing Pumps, Ladies' and which is situated amidships upon the upper dock and probably were as a second

> For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

### Shipping.

STEAMERS.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI . . AND KOBE. (PASSING THROUGH THE INLAND SEA.) THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

" VERONA" will leave for the above places, on SUNDAY, the 9th December, at DAYLIGHT. E. L. WOODIN Superintendent;

Hongkong, 26th November, 1888. THE "GIBB" LINE.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE. Calling at SINGAPORE, JAVA, PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo for ADELAIDE, TASMANIA, NEW ZEALAND, &C.

THE British Steamer.

Captain Golding, will be despatched as above, on MONDAY, the 10th instant, at 3 P.M. Attention is directed to this Steamer's comfortable Saloon and State Rooms, affording excellent Accommodation for First Class Pas-

Fare to Sydney or Melbourne \$150. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

#### SAILING VESSELS.

FOR LONDON (DIRECT). THE A. I. British Bark

Hongkong, 4th December, 1888.

"WILLIAM MANSON." H.-Kindred, Master, will load here, for the above Port, and will have a quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 23rd November, 1888. FOR LONDON (DIRECT). THE A. 1. British Bark

"ARCADIA." D. S. Eward, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 14th November, 1888 FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship

"DANIEL BARNES," Storer, Master, shortly expected, will load here for the above Port, and will have a quick

despatch. For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 23rd November, 1888.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. Norwegian Bark "ISABEL" Howe, Master, shortly expected, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

FOR NEW YORK.

For Freight, apply to PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 13th October, 1888;

FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Ship "RAPHAEL"

Harkness, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, 13th October, 1888. FOR NEW YORK.

THE 3/3 L. I. I. American Bark "H. G. JOHNSON," Colby, Master, will load here for the above

Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

### Hongkong, 3rd November, 1888.

Mails. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND

EUROPE: THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS. ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING

STEAMERS. THE Steamship

"ARABIC" will be despatched for San Francisco, with Yokohama, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th December, at 3 P.M. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports.

address in full; and the same will be received at the Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. who do define to the First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco.....\$200.00 To San Francisco and return, 1 available for 6 months......

All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to

To Liverpool ..... 325.00 rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on

Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or

vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of to per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo desined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs,

For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. toa, Queen's Road Central [1251 to Hougroug, skin November, 1868.

### Mails

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY: THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVER. LAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING

FRANCISCO.

THE U.S. Mail Steamship "CITY OF PEKING" will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama and Amoy, on SATURDAY, the 8th December, at ! P.M. taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.
Through Bills of Lading assued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, and Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. To San Francisco and return, available for 6 months.....

Through Passage Tickets granted to England,

To Liverpool...... 325.00 To London..... 330.00 To other European Points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on

Passengers by this line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and Connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways. Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or 'vice versa' within one year will be allowed a

liscount of to per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and fapan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. the day previous to sailing. Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to ad-

dress in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company,

No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. C. D. HARMAN, Honokong, 1st December 1888 CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIE

COMPANY.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE. THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY

AND OTHER CONNECTING

RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS

THE British Steamship "PARTHIA," 167 Tons Register, Wallace, Commander, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., via KOBE and YOKOHAMA on THURSDAY, the 13th December, at THREE P.M.

on 10th January and S.S. "BATAVIA" on 7th February. Connection will be made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with San Francisco by the regular Steamers of the Pacific Coast Steamship

To be followed by the S.S. "ABYSSINIA"

Company and other Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :--

To Vancouver and Victoria ... (Mex.)\$160.00 To San Francisco...... 175.00 To all Common Points in Canada } and the United States ...... To Liverpool ..... 300.00 

rates. Special reduced rates granted to: Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to Points in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to

Mr. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent,

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

Vancouver, B.C.

on the 12th December.

All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full; and the same will be received by us until 3 P.M. the day previous to sailing. For information as to Passage or Freight,

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 15th November 1888 NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT "SAID" BRINDISI, "GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK

NOTICE.

ALSO. LONDON, "NEW YORK, BOSTON BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

SEA AND BALTIC PORTS;

SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. B.-Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

COMPANY'S STRAMERS WILL CALL AT

N SUNDAY, the 23rd day of December. 1888, at 10 A.M., the Company's Steamship PREUSSEN." Captain O. Poble, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE & CARGO. will leave this Port as above, Calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m., on the 120 board; they must be left at the AUDITE Office) Contents and Value of Packages are feruired.

The Steamer has splendld accommodation and

Carries a Doctor and Steventees.

at NOON.

modation.

Hongkong, 30th November, 1888. FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

"DEUTEROS." Captain Iwersen, will be despatched for the above Port, on MONDAY, the 10th instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

SEA, LEVANT, and ADRIATIC PORTS). HE Company's Steamship

O. BACHRACH,

LIMITED.

and Cigarette Cases, Photo Albums, &c., &c. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer,

Hangkeng, 1rd December, 1888.

#### Intimations.

A.S. WATSON & CO., LTD.

WE HAVE NOW IN STOCK THE FOLLOWING CIGARS: MARIA CRISTINAS,

Leoneses. PERLA DEL ORIENTE, Londres.

NUEVO HABANO in 500 and 100 Boxes. NUEVO CORTADOS in 500 and 100 Boxes

Flor de la Isabela, Princesas, Entractos," Orientales and Isabelas.

Imperiales, Cazadores, Imperiales, Exceptionales Prensados, Principes, Cortaditos, Señoritas, Marquesitos, Flor de Prensados, Paquitos, Regalia Britanica, Regalia Inglesa, Chiquitos, Brevitos,

BOUQUETS DE WATSON.

SWEET CAPORAL and OLD JUDGE CIGARETTES.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd. THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. Hongkong, 20th October, 1888.

NOTICES TO CORRESPONDENTS.

It is requested that all communications relating to Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., be addressed to the "Manager, Honghong Telegraph" and not to the Editor. Letters on Editorial matters to be sent to "The Editor" and not to individual members of the staff, Communications intended for publication must be accompanie by the name and address of the writers, not necessarily for

publication : but as evidence of good faith. Whilst the columns of the Hongkong Telegraph will always be open for the fair discussion by correspondents of all questions affecting public interests, it must be distinctly understood that the Editor does not in any way hold himself responsible fo opinious thus expressed

Advertisers are requested to forward all notices intended for Insertion in that day's Issue not later than Three o'Clock so as not to retard the early publication of the paper. Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not ordered for a fixed period will be continued until countermanded.

The Hongkong Telegraph has the largest circulation of any English newspaper published in the Far Fast, and is therefore the best medium for Advertisers. Terms can be learnt on application. The Hongtong Telegraph's number at the Telephone Central

Subscribers to The Hongkong Telegraph are respectfully reminded that all Subscriptions are payable in advance.

MARRIAGE. On the 8th inst., at St. John's Cathedral, by the Rev. W. Jennings, M.A. Colonial Chaplain, assisted by the Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, M.A., o St. Peter's Seamens' Church, LACEY, fifth son of the late Robert Downes, of Islington, to EDITH ANNIE, second daughter of C. J. Bateman, of the Hongkong Public School

# he Pougkong Celegraph

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1888

## TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter.)

WRECK OF THE "GLENCOE."

LONDON, December 4th. The steamship Glencos has run ashore at (Hela) Bila? and broken up on the afternoon of 4th instant.

[The Agents, Messrs, Jardine, Matheson & Co., inform us that they have been telegraphing all round with a view to ascertain the truth of the above report, but have not heard anything about it. It is inferred that the rumour is

GERMANY AND RUSSIA. The Semi-official Berlin Press publish articles exhorting the Germans to hold aloof from the new Russian loan, and point out that the proposed conversion is merely a cleak to further wide political aims.

(From the Straits Times.)

· FRANCE.

PARIS, November 27th. French troops, having been called out to disperse disorderly discharged Italian workmen at Blidah, were compelled to fire, killing and wounding four.

(From the Courrier d'Haiphong.) DECORATION MEN TO THE FRONT. PARIS, November 23rd. Numa Gilly and Wilson have published documents attacking several political personages. The documents do not contain any precise

M. TERNISIEN.

revelation.

"November 26th. Mr. Ternisien who remains in France is undertaking a campaign against the general Customs, tariff in force in Indo-China,

(From the Avenir du Tonkin.) THE CHINESE SCHOOL. M. Aymonier has been appointed Director o the Chinese School.

THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES. The Chamber of Deputies suspended its whilst session protesting against the the presence of M. Wilson.

A LATE TYPHOON. We'are indebted to the courtesy of the Spanish

Consul for the following telegram received last night from Bolingo :-"A typhoon is approaching the north of Luzon from the cast."

The Government Astronomer sends the following weather report this afternoon A falling barometer and bad weather continue in the Philippines. There is a typhoon east of southern Luton, A fresh north-east impageon and high seas may be expected in the Chine Sea,"

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

We hear that the steam launch Stephen Thomspson was released by the Imperial Maritime Customs at Canton yesterday, and returned to her owner.

COLONEL GARCIA has been appointed Commandant of the Macao Police Force, vice Colonel Ferreira who left for Lisbon on a year's furlough by the last French mail.

THE steamship Tannadice, after leaving this port, called at Macso, where Capt. Santos, Ensigns Garcia, and Maher and engineer Remedios took passage for Timor.

MESSRS. 'Carlowitz & Co. inform us that the steamship Stura, of the Navigazione Generale Italiana, left Singapore yesterday for this por and may be expected on the 12th inst.

A MOST disastrous fire occured in Glasgow on the 31st October, the result being the almost total destruction of the works of Messrs. Todd and Higginbotham, spinners, weavers, and calico printers. The loss is estimated at £100,000, which is covered by insurance, and about 1,000 hands will be thrown idle by the conflagration.

RETURNS compiled at all the shipbuilding ports of the kingdom, from the Thames to Aberdeen, and from Bristol to Belfast, show an enormous increase in the work in hand. There are now 400 vessels, nearly all steamships, in course of construction, and the average size of each is 1.750 tons. As a matter of course, the rate of building is much slower now than in the summer.

EMPEROR Wilhelm visited Hamburg, and laid the finishing stone of the Customs Inclusion Buildings on the 29th October. Several members of the Senate and others, including Mr. W. Nissen, have been decorated on the occasion. On his return to Berlin from Rome a deputation waited on the Emperor to congratulate him on the result of his tour. The young monarch, however, received the deputation very coldly,

IN a recent number of a Malaga paper, we read that in the Cortina del Muelle, a woman, standing in a carriage, was holding forth to an audilence, composed chiefly of women, on the efficacy of a certain mixture which had the extraordinary property of making the hair grow to a prodigious length. To prove her assertion she let down her back her long thick tresses, which excited the admiration and the envy of the bystanders Meantime, a little urchin clambered up into the carriage from behind, and, seizing hold of the woman's hair, pulled it with such force that came off in his hands.

THE Odessa Court delivered judgment on October 18, in the case of the sinking of the their souls," iron paddle steamer Elborous, belonging to the Russian Navy, which was last year run into by the British trading steamer Malkins Tower. Nine sailors of the Elberges were drowned. The Court sentenced Captain Samuel Tiddy, the master of the Malkins Tower, in contumaciam, to three months' imprisonment, to do the penance prescribed under the Russian Ecclesiastical law, to pay costs to the amount of 150,000 roubles to the Russian Government, and 11,000 roubles to the families of the sailors who lost their lives in the collision.

WITH what perfect assurance of victory the French entered upon the war with Germany in the year 1870 is seen by a medal struck about that time, of which very few specimens are now in existence. The eason for this scarcity probably lies in the fact that the Government tried to suppress it after their disasters in the field, The medal, which was evidently coined at the mint, is of the size and value of a five-franc piece, and displays on its face the laurel-wreathed head of the Emperor with the inscription ! "Napoleon III, Imperator," on the reverse we read: "Finis Germaniæ, 1870." One of these

A CRICKET match-Civilians v. 58th Regiment will commence at 2 p.m. to-morrow to be continued on Saturday at 11 a.m. Tiffin will be provided on the ground on Saturday. The following are the teams :---

Wik Regiment. Civillans. Major Churchill (Capt.) E. O. Smith. E. J. Coxon (Capt.) E. W. Maidand. M. D. Graham. E. Higgiobothem, H. Johnstine, I. de C. Huntamen, 8 L. Darby. Three Others,

By kind permission of Colonel Anderson and the Officers of the Regiment their Band wil play on Saturday afternoon. A CURSORY perusal of the China Mail's serial regiment, artillery, volunteers and contingents leader "Likin and how to abolish it " is sufficient from the men-of-war might be sent to occupy. to convince the reader of the futility of the important positions on the south-western coast of opinions elicited by the evening rag. We confess | the island, and to man the forts; and what with we never read a more worthless piece of jour- the explosion of submarine mines and vigorous nalistic lore. The writer advocates the abolition firing from the forts and from the land army, in of likin, and its substitution by an increased return to the fire received from the attacking transit duty, on arguments that would barely stand examination and analysis, If China's | the facility, or of the difficulty of resisting a economists reasoned and acted in the same real invasion; many practical discoveries, both grooves as the China Mail's contributor expresses | strategic and naval, might be made, and correct his thoughts in, we would soon see the plans of resistance might be drawn, which would Middle Kingdom revert to a state of childhood and jucipiency quite inconsisted with its centennial records. The machinery of taxation has not yet been made sufficiently known to China to recommend its adoption. China's have cost at home; but it does not require much revenue is mainly derived from import, likin, and acumen to see that in this as in most cases, at transit duties. Before abolishing any of these sources the Middle Kingdom will have to frame Singapore papers to hand report General a regular system of internal taxation, and work | Cameron's initiative in inaugurating a series of it out to good advantage. The China Mail sham fights at that port. It is to be hoped the abolitionist had better investigate into the General, who is every inch a soldier, will repeat machinery of China's finance before he ventures | the experiments in Hongkong, and that the

an opinion on the advisability of reforming it.

MESSRS. Butterfield & Swire inform us that the Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Sarpedon, from Liverpool, left Singapore for this port yesterday. afternoon, and is due on the 12th inst.

A TELEGRAM from Geneva says that Miss Sterling, an English captain in the Salvation Army has been condemned to 100 days' imprisonment for converting children under age at Orbe, in the canton of Vaud.

In addition to the two Hongkong Launches seized by Revenue cruisers in the vicinity, of Mira Bay, we hear that two others were seized by one of the Green squadron of gunboats between Castle Peak and the entrance of the Bogue yesterday,

A MISSIONARY writes from the Fiji. Islands as follows :- " Our small force of brethren seems to be absolutely unable to cope with the distress which prevails in this dark and benighted land. Many of the natives are starving for food. Please send at once a few more missionaries."

A GERMAN is said to have perfected a process whereby a softer quality of wood is rendered equally as good as lignum vitee for such purposes as stern bearings for propeller shafts. He forces oil into the pores of the soft wood, then subjects it to intense pressure, thereby solidifying it,

THE London and China Express hears that negotiations are reported to be progressing well -from a Chinese point of progress, -on the sub ject of the permit for a steamer to ascend the upper waters of the Yangtere, but as yet there was no indication of the actual pass being

St. Andrew's Ball.-Young lady (haughtily disengaging herself)-By what right, sir, do you presume to put your arm round my waist? Young man (humbly)-None. I confess, but I thought you would not object. Young lady, -Know then, sir, that I do object, most emphatically ; but that need not deter you from per-

EPISCOPAL duty in some parts of Australia has its humourous side. One prelate on his first journey round was flung into deep mud by a restive horse. Rising rucfully with his chaplain's help, and surveying the place, the bishop consoled himself with this reflection: "I have left a very deep impression in that part of the diocese at any rate."

An Appeal to the Faithful.—The following advertisement appears in a Spanish paper:-"Don Luis Perez, deceased the 27th March." 1868. Don Juan Martinez, deceased the 5th May, 1870. Don Anselmo Trencillo, deceased the 8th Nov., 1873. Don Pedro Gily Luna, deceased the 8th instant. The disconsolate widow of the above-named gentlemen requests (the prayers of her faithful friends for the repose of

" JUDGE," said the Montana lawyer, as he leaned back in his chair and threw one foot up on table, "I object to the witness answering that question, and I'm ready to argue the point. stands to reason -- " " So will you, young man," roared the Judge, "if you've got any speech to make. Get up on your feet or I'll clap you in the calaboose for contempt of Court quicker'n you can accept an invitation to drink," and the young lawyer stood to reason.

AT an epoch when the mania for naval and military manœuvres is at fever heat, we think the " Malta and Gibraltar of the Far East " can hardly be excused from participating in the rush after sham-fights and the pomp and circumstance of warklike displays. Times out of number have we been told by alarmists that this colony was at the mercy of the first invader who attacked us; it is, therefore, incumbent on our military and naval authorities to give the public a clear contradiction, or the probability of a contradiction of such alarming forecasts. We have invariably maintained that the sca and land forces which are stationed here are more medals was lately sold at Leipsic for a hundred | than sufficient to repel any probable invasion; and we feel sure our army and navy men entertain the same ideas; but that ought not to preclude them from giving their theories practical test and starting a series of combined land and sea manœuvres calculated to act both as a trial and as drill for our defenders. The fleet is composed of sufficiently varied elements to enable it to be divided into an attacking and a defending force. The turretship Wivers, with the Leander, the Porpoise, one corvette, three gunboats and a couple of torpedo boats, might represent the defending force ; and the Impiriouse, and the remainder of the fleet, consisting of corvettes, gunboats, despatch-boat and torpedo-boats could undertake the capture of the port. After succession of encounters at night and during the day, on the hypothesis that the defending fleet had to withdraw into the harbour, force, a fairly accurate idea might be formed of be invaluable when opportunity should require them. Of course evolutions on a vast scale wil cost a pretty considerable sum ; we have a heard what a heavy bill the naval manceuvre penny-wise policy leads to error and deception

mayal authorities will be invited to take part

ELECTROTHANATOS is the word used to designate. death by an electric shock. Thus is another horror added to a gallows scene.

THE newly appointed Japanese Consultor Canton arrived here by the last steamer from Japan, and lest for that place this morning to take up his

THE Macao Government Gasette notifies the appointment of Mr. de Lucy-Fossarieu, Viceconsul for France at Foochow, to the post of Portuguese Consul at the same port.

FROM an advertisement in another column will be seen that Signor Chiarini's Circus and Zoological Aggregation will give their inaugural performance to-morrow night at Bowrington. As the celebrated Circus has been materially increased of late, and it has had a successful season in the land of the elephants, where it performed to the King and royal family for successive nights, we hope it will be extensively patronized by the lovers of the equestrian art in this Colony.

No one, says the London and China Express, is now detained in connection with the murders at Whitechapel and Mitre-square, although the authorities do not despair of ultimately securing the criminal. Dr. Forbes Winslow and other leading authorities on mental disorders are still of opinion that the murders were committed by a homicidal lunatic, notwithstanding that an opinion to the contrary has been expressed by one lunacy specialist whose views were sought by the police authorities. Dr. Winslow believes that the murderer has lately been in a "lucid interval." In that condition he would be comparatively rational, and also forgetful of what he had done. As soon as this passes off he will Dr. Winslow thinks, resume his terrible work.

A SERIES OF GAOL SCANDALS.

Mr. Pollock was occupied most of this afternoon in hearing a succession of charges bounded against officers in the Gaol which revealed a little of the character and conduct of the men. The first case was one in which two assistant turnkeys-James McGuinness, and Thomas G. Bone, -were summoned by James Hodge, Head Turnkey at the Gaol, for disorderly behaviour. They were stated to have beer fighting in their quarters last night. Mr. Pollock declined to take cognisance of the case, considering it to be one which the Superintendent should deal with.

The charge prefe red against Turnkey Charles McKay, of assaulting a Chinese prisoner in the Gaol on the 3rd instant, was then resumed The prisoner in question stated that whilst in the tailor's shon defendant seized his jacket and shook him. - Turnkey Mason, who was in charge of the tailor's shop, said that the prisoner reported the assault, and on investigating the matter he found defendant excited, General Gordon, who had MaKay before him, refused to hear anything at the time, as he appeared considerably excited.-Defendant, whose conduct in Court was somewhat eccentric, called a number of the officers to prove insolence on the part of the prisoner, but elicited very little. His defence was that he wanted to take the prisoner to the head turnkey, to report him for misconduct; and that as the man was insubordinate, and refused to go, the simply tried to compel him to do so,-His Worship said that he considered the charge proved, and it was a peculiarly bad one from the defendant's position as turnkey. There was no doubt that he had ill-treated the man, and he would be sentenced to three months' imprisonment,-A second charge, of stamping on another prisoner's foot, was not gone into.

McKay then entered the box and preferred a charge of assault against John Quin, head turnkey. He stated that on the morning of the 4th inst, the defendant met him a corridor and, using a foul expression, told him to get out of his way and pushed him roughly. Complainant said nothing, but went to report it to General Gordon. That gentleman, however, refused to hear him, or allow him to go out to obtain a summons,-Quin, who also behaved in a curiously excitable way, denied that he did anything of the sort-he simply warned McKay to be careful how he treated the prisoners, as was his duty. He would not dream of using such a "comical" expression as the one alleged. The reason he had said anything to McKay was because a prisoner had come up with his foot bleeding and a mark on his ribs, and complained that McKay had assaulted him. General Gordon stated that Quin made a similar statement at the time, and that McKay w s very excited. Turnkey Mason said that he heard Quin tell McKay to be careful not to annoy the prisoners unnecessarily, as they were in a state of agitation, and, being in the tailors' shop, they had weapons in the shape of tools. McKay became excited, and asserted that Quin thereby accused him of striking prisoners. Witness did not see any assault.-His Worship did not consider the case proved, and dismissed it.

Quin was next summoned by assistant-turnkey McGuinness for abusive language. Complainant stated that yesterday morning he was talking to McKay in his quarters when defendant told him to go (somewhere) and used other offensive language. Complainant was a new officer, and Quin had insisted on his buying beer to "pay his footing."-Defendant, who used a good deal of bad language, denied this, and made countercharges, alleging that the complainant threatened to assault him.

.Complainant :- I deny every word of this, and besides I will hammer you when I get you outside. I told you I'd do it yesterday, didn't I, and I will, that's straight.—His Worship bound each party over in a surely of \$25 to keep the peace for three months.

MEETING OF THE LEGISLATIV COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held yesterday afternoon There were present: -His Excellency the Acting Governor (Dr. F. Stewart), Mr. O'Malley, Attorney-General; Mr. H. E. Wodehouse, Colonial Treasurer; Mr. J. M. Price, Surveyor-General; Captain W. M. Deane, Superintendent of Police: Messrs, P.

THE EVIDENCE CONSOLIDATION BILL.

The Attorney-General.—The Select Committee report this Bill with the following amendments adopting the suggestions, of the Law Revision Commission :- In clause 39 substituting the words "at such trial" for the words " in such prosecution;" in clause 40 after the words "the Crown" the addition of the words "the prisoner or the accused or his counsel."

THE COMPENSATION TO FAMILIES BILL The Attorney-General-The Select Committee report the Bill without amendment.

The Council then went into Committee on the three foregoing Bills, the Attorney-General having moved the suspension of the standing orders so that the numbers of the sections should be read only, and not each section of the Bills." motion was approved, and the three Bills were passed through Committee.

NATURALISATION. :

The Attorney-General moved the second reading of a Bill for the naturalisation of Tsu Tak-Piu, otherwise Ching U.

The Colonial Treasurer seconded. Bill read a second time.

THE CORONER'S ABOLITION SUPPLEMENTAL

The Attorney General-I beg to move the second reading of the Coroner's Abolition Supplemental Bill. As I explained to the Council on the first reading, the object is to provide that in cases of enquiries held by a magistrate without a jury, the depositions and the magistrate's certificate thereon shall be sent to the Attorney.

The Colonial Treasurer seconded. Bill read a second time,

The Council then went into committee on the

On clause 3 of the Schedule, which requires that particulars shall be given as to height, colour

of hair, clothing and other means of identity, The Colonial Treasurer suggested that this clause should be omitted as being too particular. There were no means of ascertaining the height again,

The Attorney-General said the clause was copied verbatim from the Straits Settlements Ordinance dealing with the same subject, by the direction of the Secretary of State. Of course the exact height, &c., was not required. There or thereabouts would do.

The Captain Superintendent of Police supported the amendment of the Colonial Treasurer. Many of the cases were deaths from drowning in the harbour, and the bodies when found were in such a state that these minute enquiries would be very objectionable.

Hon B. Layton suggested the substitution of the word "pr" for "and" as a means of meeting the case. The clause would then read "height colour of hair, clothing or other means of identity.!

The Attorney-General thought this a practical suggestion. Where particulars as to height, &c. were possible they would be given and where not, some other means of identity.

The clause was amended as suggested by Hon 3. Layton, and the Bill was passed through Com

THE STATUTE LAW PRESERVATION BILL. The Attorney-General moved the second reading of this Bill.

The Colonial Treasurer seconded. Bill read a second time and passed through

THE MERCHANT SHIPPING ORDINANCE

- AMENDMENT BILL The Attorney General-I have to move the first reading of this Bill. As the Council is

aware, short amending ordinances, to the Merc chant Shipping Ordinance Consolidation Ordinance of 1879 have been passed from time to time, I think almost annually, to make provision for any details in the administration of the shipping law which have been found necessary during the year. No such Ordinances have been passed during the past two or three years, and during that time one or two small matters requiring amendment have been brought to notice, and the object of the Bill is to provide for these, Th first is an amendment of Section 16 of Ordinance 8 of 1870. Under the existing Ordinance all shipping and discharges of sailors is required be made before the Harbour Master. Some two or three years ago difficulties were pointed out by Consul Mosby. I think, in connection with this provision, and it was determined that in the case of foreign nationalities, that were represented by Consul at this port, engagements and discharges of sailors should be allowed to take place before the Consul, and this Ordinance makes provision for this arrangement. There are some details with regard to fees, which speak for themselves and are provided for in Schedu les G. and H. Then there is a provision for amending Section at of the Ordinance, object is this. Some year or two ago an Ordinance was passed in which the Harbour Master was empowered to administer, small; estates of passengers who had died on the voyage to Hong kong. These estates were very small, consist ing chiefly of baggage, and were adminstered in a summary manner by the Harbour Master in stead of going through the usual routine. This short clause simply makes legal provision for sending the report of the death of a passenger to the Harbour Master on the arrival of the ship in port. This is generally done now. I believe, but it is thought just as well to have legal

sanction for it. The last amendment was suggested in consequence of the enforcing of the Foreign Enlistment Act in the Harbour during the Franco-Chinese war. ... It was found that the power to make rules and regulations by Ordinance 8 of 1872 was not quite large enough to meet some of the cases which arose, and therefore this amendment is proposed. The Colonial Treasurer seconded.

Bill read a first time. The Attorney-General gave notice of second reading at next meeting THE POWERS OF POLICE MAGISTRATES ASIEND | Which he was deservedly encored. Miss

THE CHIMESE EMIGRATION CONSOLIDATION

DILL

The Attorney-General—I have to present the report of the Select Committee on this Bill. The Select Committee on this Bill. The Select Committee on this Bill. The semantic birth of the same without amendment with the exception of striking out the Magnetic Content of the Magn

stand is not an uncommon practice on the part of persons fined small sums, the preference of going to prison to paying the fine, and is to enable the Magistrate to insist upon such person being searched, and if property sufficient to pay the fine is found upon his person, to forfeit it and not allow him the option of going to prison.

Hon. J. Bell-Irving-With regard to this clause would property found on him be taken to pay the

The Attorney-General-No, it must be money. His Excellency-If he elects to go to gool instead of prying a small fine, say of \$2, and on being seniched \$5 were found on him, this will be taken to pay his fine.

The Attorney-General-Section 4 provides that the powers given to two Magistrates sitting together may be exercised by one. In certain cases under the existing law, cases arising under the Ordinance for protection of women and children, it requires two Magistrates sitting together to adjudicate. I think there are very substantial reasons for the amendment. There is great difficulty in administering the law as it now is, and great doubts as to the way in which it is administered. Section 5 is amended by substituting for the words "any term; not exceeding three months" the words "any term not exceeding six months." Section 6 provides that where hawkers are taken up for obstructing the thoroughfare, and offences against the hawkers' Ordinances, the property of the hawker shall be brought up by the constable and dealt with by the Magistrate. These are all, I think, of the provisions of the Ordinance. I may say that I think the provisions are such as commend themselves to the Police Magistrates, and indeed the Ordinance itself was prepared mainly by Mr. Pollock, one of the Police Magistrates.

His Excellency-I may say that with regard to two Magistrates having to sit together in some cases, the practice has been found very inconvenient. The magistrate taking the case does not know how it may end, and after some time it is found that two magistrates are required, and the result is the case has to be begun de nove and the whole of the evidence taken over

The Attorney-General-I believe, sir, also there is no provision in the case of the two magistrates differing. V

His Excellency-With regard to the 6th clause it is found that the Police have not the necessary authority; they may or they may not bring up the articles howked, and this clause is to make sure that they do so. Another difficulty is that the hawker who is brhught up gives, some other hawker his wares, and he goes on breaking the law while the other man is in prison.

The Colonial Treasurer-I think, sir, in moving the second reading, as one of the Magistrates, I should like to say that the clauses of this Bill will make a great improvement in the existing state of affairs. A special improvement is in giving the power to one Magistrate which has formerly been exercised by two. There has been the very greatest difficulty in carrying out the provision, and the result has often been miscarriage of justice. If this section is passed it will be the most important in the Bill. With regard to the ard Section, which gives the power to forfeit money found on persons who are fined, I must say I think that this should also apply to property found, and I would leave the matter for the consideration of the Attorney-General, Certainly all the other clauses seem to me to meet difficulties which are constantly occuring, Bill read a second time.

The Council adjourned till Wednesday, th 12th

IMANO'S BENEFIT.

There, was a very large attendance at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, last night, on the necession of the complimentary benefit tendered by the management of the American Musical Comedy and Opera Company to Mr. H. M. Imano, the leading baritone of the troupe. A mixed programme had been arranged, comprising the second and third acts of "The Bohemian Girl," the second act of "Maritana," and Offenbach's popular operetta "The Rose of Auvergne," Although this giving selections from different works has long been the custom at benefit performances in England-chiefly to allow a number of eminent artistes to appear in special parts—we regard it as an eminently unsatisfactory plan, both to the performers and to the audience. Last night's programme was by far too lengthy, the performance not terminating until long after midnight; and had the scene from "Maritana," which must bave been quite incomprehensible to those unacquainted with the plot of Wallace's beautiful opera, been left out, it would have been very much better. It is possible to have too much of a good thing-even of highclass opera.

"The Rohemian Girl" was very well put on

the stage, and although the representation was not without some glaring defects, there was still room for commendation. Mr. Imano, who in the second act doubled the parts of Devilshoof and Count Arnheim, was in exceptionally goodvoice, and displayed far more than his customary animation, especially as Devilshoof. In fact, we had never seen the sedate basso cantante in such frisky mood, and we were not aware that in addition to his many other accomplishments he was a capable member of the corps de ballet. Perhaps it was the sight, of the crowded stalls and dress circle that gave the Gipty chief inspiration! hut anyhow, a change quickly came. over the spirit of Mr. Imano's dream when be assumed the frogged surfout of the Governor of Presburg. That long-tailed coat proved a regular damper to the actor, but it did not he the vocalist from giving a powerful tendering of The heart bow'd down," for Flo Morrison received a hearty reception The Attorney-General—I have to propose the again scored a decided success. We have first reading of a Bill to amend the powers of seldom seen, Mr. Fisher to better advantage than Police Magistrates. It is a somewhat large title | as Thaddeus ; he acted throughout in the most for a comparatively small amendment in the spirited fashion and sang "When other lips," Magisterial procedure and which may be only and the Fair land of Poland with noteworthy temporary, because I understand the Law Revi- ability. Edust praise is due to Miss Maude sion Commission have in hand a very consider- Hare, whose chaste vocalisation was one of the able consolidation Ordinance which will provide features of the representation. Mr. Cripps was a complete and comprehensive procedure by not at bis best as Florestein - a character Ordinance for the Magistrates Court In the that should always be played by a woman meantime this is intended to remedy some little and Mr. Suich, who appeared as Devilskopf in the defects which have presented themselves in the last | Jast act, was evidently off colour. Miss Arline. few months and which it is thought well to provide | and Miss Whiteford such introduced a charace for at once without further delay. Section 1; teriatic dance, and the latter young lady was enables a Magistrate in any case where he has | honored (I) with the only floral tributes presented. power to impose a pecuniary penalty of order in recognition of her attractive saltatory achieve-recovery in the manner which is provided for imputs. The British public, or at least a portion Deane, Superintendent of Police; Mesars, P. the recovery of penalties in Ordinance to of 1844; of that desinguished body never fails to Ryrie, Wong Shing, J. Bell-Irving, B. Layton, that is by distraint in the flist instance; Section, recognise the merits of a pair of well-shaped.

If we were Mr. Robertson, the conductor of the company, we should decline to act as go-between in handing bouquets on the stage; it is beneath his dignity, and besides, it would really be interesting to know who are the reckless spendthrifts that invest fifty cents a night on flowers for the purpose of showing that they posses:

visiting cards. The second act of "Maritana" was not a success. Capable and conscientious artista as Miss Morrison undoubtedly is, she did not seem quite at home as Lazarillo. Perhaps it was the male attife, and especially the "tights," that proved a paralyser l'Miss Morrison's voice is not well adapted for " Alas I those chimes," but she nevertheless warbled with much taste and feeling. Mr. Fisher sang" Let me like a soldier fall "splendidly and was enthusiastically encored; but his Don Casar de Basan was a rather | agai at the intrusion of a more humane commerce. weak conception of a character that requires any | These gentry are aware that vast portions of the amount of power and vivacity. As Don Jose nirican continent have been marked out and Mr. Imano sang very effectively, but neither in apportioned to Germany," England, France, appearance nor in style did he in the least Belgium, Italy; they see the creation of great resemble the proud Spanish Minister, the schem- | African trading companies y nearly all these ing lover of his Queen. Over the other people | States; and they probably feel that the orderly who appeared as Spanish courtiers, soldiers, etc., extension of commerce from half a dozen centres we charitably draw a veil-they were too awful along a thousand branching paths would soon

until past midnight we missed that part of the the slave-hunting Arab merchants are becoming entertainment; but an outside critic, who anxious; we know them to be desperately thinks he knows all about it, says that Mr. Imano | unscrupulous; and we have seen of late various was excellent as Pierre, whilst Miss Morrison | signs of a general stir in Africa against all manner played Fleurette with charming naivett, and of European adventurers. that Mr. Whissen Cripps astonished everybody by his admirable impersonation of Alphonse.

On Saturday night the Company will appear in Dion Boucicault's famous Irish drama "The Shanghraun," with Mr. Sheridan in the title role. The success which this fine play has met with throughout the Fnglish-speaking world ought to attract a crowded house.

We do not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by Correspondents in this column.]

CORRESPONDENCE.

"TOMMY ATKINS" AT THE THEATRE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HOTOKONG TALEGRAPH" SIR,-"Tommy Atkins" in all entertainments throughout the world is granted that great privilege-"half-price," but Mr. Willard, with a soul of good nature, is the inventor of a new idea, viz to only allow ten "Tommics" at 50 cents per head to decorate the pit of the Theatre Royal, and when the Opera is well advanced, and the seats which he fondly hoped would be filled with dollar men, are vacant, he informs "Tommy" with vast politeness, that his 50 cents now would be thankfully received.

I consider that the popular manager of the Yankee Opera Company could revise his usual "bill of fare" by stating the percentage of halfprice tickets, which would enable "Tommy Atkins" to come "prepared,"-a state which he is expected to be in, everywhere, and at all

HALF-PRICE.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1888. THE REGATTA DEADLOCK.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG TREEGRAPH." SIR;-Would you kindly allow me space for a few words more anent the Regatta Deadlock? the facts a little. The Arab hostility explanation I have no desire to enter into any further argu- | may be good enough for Prince Bismarck to ment with "An Old Sportsman," seeing that that | proceed upon; but since what he means, or seems gentleman rides roughshod over all logic (with to mean, is a general blazing away among the or without intent is, of course, impossible for me | villages of Central Africa, it will hardly be just to say) and only confines himself to meaningless | or wise in us to adopt the cry and join in animadversions against these "cussed" foreigners | the crusade if we have reason to believe in general and against myself in particular. It that both are grounded on German bungling. is generally those who have got the weakest case and (I am loth to use the word) German who, as a last resort, adopt such forcible language, brutalism. To do so does not appear to be the and "An Old Sportsman" may rest assured most hopeful way of speeding our own trade for that he has not succeeded in strengthening the one thing. But, of course, if in the competition cause for which he is an advocate by the pre- for trade in Africa Germany must begin by sumptive terms he employs in his last.

The Mayblossom cannot stand for the logical deduction "better, worse or equal," as we neither wish to row with a disadvantage or with an advantage. In case of equality then the Club owns quite a sufficient number of boats to accommodate everybody, without calling in the aid of the Mayblossom. Our unwillingness to row with an advantage (if she be worse) is sure to be the sudden but not inexplicable discovery by the characterized by "An Old Sportsman" as sentimentality; but we cannot help that. Our ideas | demand the extirpation of the slave trade; even of fairness in sport extend beyond the narrow by fire and by the sword. But the sermon may limits of self-interest.

In conclusion I would only remark that, " An Old Sportsman's", advice about our withdrawal comes rather post festum. - As soon as we got an inkling of the rumour that the Mayblossom was intended to be used in the forthcoming Regatta, we made inquiries at once, and learning the rumour was true we informed the Committee. of our withdrawal. Our letter on the subject to the Committee was sent to them on Saturday the ist inst., and ends (after enumerating the withdrawal of nineteen crews) in these terms :- "We think it only fair that the Committee should be acquainted with these eventualities (the withdrawal of nineteen crews) so as to enable them to make arrangements for substitutes in races where there will only be two boats left. At the same time we would feel obliged by a prompt and definite answer (whether the Mayblossom is going to be used or no') so as not to keep us | tion "of the blacklegs by the miners on strike. in training longer than necessary."

That we have been actuated by the fairest motives in this matter is conclusively proven by the above, in addition to the fact that we would on'y be too anxious to encourage other crews to row against the Mayblossom, -only we ourselves have no desire to compete with her.

I am, Sir, Yours truly.

SUIDROG.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1888, [As the "cussed" foreigners—the polite expression is Suidrog's, not ours-have withdrawn their entries, nothing more remains to be said. Under all circumstances, and especially considering the ridiculous assumptions they have advanced, their withdrawal is the most satisfactory solution of the difficulty. In our opinion, "Suidrog's" severe attack of the cacoethes scribendi has placed both himself and his compatriots in a most unenviable position.—Editor, Hongkong Telegraph ]

What part of an advertisment which is often seen in the newspaper does a candid person most resemble? The no-reserve of an auc-

Young tramp to old tramp, on finishing begged dinner-"Wonder where we'll get anything for supper ? "- Old tramp-" See here, young feller, you hain't got the proper spirit for this perfesh If you're goin' to begin thinkin' about supper as soon as you've got through dinner, you'd better go-back to work, you bad.

The following epitaph is by Moore, on attorney named Shaw .-Rere lies John Shaw,

Attorney at law.

An I when he died The devicated THE PROPOSED ANTI-SLAVE TRADE COALITION.

Mr. F. Greenwood writes on the above subject s the London Times:-

Supposing it to be true that Prince Bismarck proposes to engage this country in a joint crusade against the slave-hunters and slave-dealers of Central Africa, and supposing this to mean that we are to combine with the Germans and Italians in sending forth armed expeditions to raid upon the raiders, I hope Lord Salisbury will take your advice and decline the invitation.

It may be true that the Arab slave-dealers; alarmed for their traffic, are working in concert and surely put an end to their own most barbarous As the "Rose of Auvergne" did not trot out traffic. Therefore it may well be supposed that

"Now, any movement of that sort mu to course be dealt with, but not necessarily in the German Before we accept Prince Bismarck's invitation to enter upon a rifle and rocket campaign in Central Africa, we ought to ask ourselves whether it would not be better to refrain from the use of explosives in this case, and steadily proceed to justify the Arab slavedealers; squeezing them out of existence by commercial methods. Or should it be decided that nothing but asharp and general administration of the aword will suffice, even then I should say that it would be wise to decline all invitation to joint action. Joint military enterprise should rarely be ventured on by any Government which is not assured beforehand of possessing a distinct superiority in strength and in lack of scruple. Besides, in this case there is a special and particular objection in the way. The troubles of the German Government in Africa are now ascribed to Arab hostility, Arab conspiracy, which we all believe to be most wicked and detestable. But are not there some doubts about that? Suppose it to be true, as we have heard, that these same troubless have another origin. Suppose that Prince Bismarck's fellow-countrymen in Africa have been "standing no nonsense" a little too much, and "making short work of it" with a bad imitation of the Chancellor's energy and with none of his prudence, and suppose that, in con-equence, there has been not only more swagger but more shooting than enough. Stories to that effect have been told; good reasons could be given for regarding them as not improbable, and if they are true, what then? The business of statesmanship being what it is, Prince Bismarck must do something to redress the misfortunes of the German East African Company, no matter what their origin or whose the blame. Considerations of the first importance do not allow him to admit that those misfortunes were the result of too much swagger, or of crude, unnecessary pistolling. But the allies of Germany who also have colonies or trading companies in Africa must look to fighting the people in her own quarter of the continent, she may naturally wish to do so with the countenance of her competitors; while if she can contrive to engage them in a similar business all round, so much the better. Not only may present convenience be served thereby, but future profit may accrue.

A very pretty sermon might be preached on German Government that religion and humanity be spared. It is enough to say, perhaps, that whether the German awakening be sincere or not, nobody, will suspect England of hating slavery and the slave trade less if she choose to fight against them in her own way, which the Germans are, of course, more than welcome to imitate, even to excess. But we must have no joint crusading at present.

PLAIN ENGLISH

THE UNIONS VERSUS THE BLACKLEGS.

With a touching unanimity every one of the stunid papers," at every one of the centres of population all over Australia, raises the same fierce and lugubrious howl over the "intimida-They froth against "tyranny of Labour." . The argument is this. Is a man free, or is he not, to sell his labour as he pleases? Of course the answer is "Yes." Very well, then, the miners must be prevented from preventing the blacklegs selling their labour as they please, and the boly cause of Liberty must be vindicated. The reply to this alleged reply is a simple one. The liberty of a man becomes licence when it entails suffering on his fellows. Everyone admits this in certain conditions. It is only when these conditions affect men's pockets that they suddenly develope a ferocious taste for freedom. Take an example Has a man, or has he not, the right to dispose of his sewage as he pleases? Has he, or has he not, a right to fling it out into his garden and leave it there to fester and stink till it can stink and fester no more society denies that right. And why Because his action entails suffering on others Wherefore he is compelled, both by usage and by law, to dispose of his superfluous garbage as society shall dire t. Apply this example elsewhere. Has a man, or has he not a right to work overtime if he pleases? . He has not, if his fellows object. And why? Because if he works overtime, competition compels all his fellows to do the same; competition drives them all to a desperate struggle for work at any wages that will support existence, and suffering, degradation, disease, and premature death afflict them ail, The case is as clear with this man as with the other man. Take, lastly, the case of the blackleg. miners. They represent no percentage at all in proportion to those who have solemnly decided that they will wrike for a cause which they believe to be just. The blackleg is ready to let bis class parish ulterly if he can put a lew pounds in his own pocket. Well, ble class takes the only means it has left to get at a selfish or ignorant creature like this. It frightens him. This

intimidation his justified. It is useless to talk

they exist are merely the creation of the Capital.

inthe class, who would have been fools indeed not

of "law and order." when "law and order." as

to create what suited their pockets. This "intimidation" is the protest against this iniquity. Let the fight be fair, Capital versus Labour, but no bringing in the soldiers and Nordenfeldt guns on behalf of one party and against, the other, That is wrong, it is a crime ! All of us pay taxes. The taxes pay the police and the soldiers. The police and the soldiers are the servants of us all; not of that class or this. Let us understand it. Let the police, too, understand it, and the soldiers. One dreary capitalistic rag talked about " turning the Nordenfeldt," on the miner. Let them try it. Australian Democrats have not yet learned to shoot one another for the sake of a pack of greasy monopolists. If it comes to wanton shooting there will be lead enough to go round.-Sydney Bulletin.

> Co-day's Advertisements.

ROYAL, CITY HALL HONGKONG.

THE AMERICAN MUSICAL COMEDY AND OPERA COMPANY.

Mr. P. W. WILLARD. DIRECTORS..... " JOHN F. SHERIDAN.

SATURDAY EV NING, the 8th December, 1888.

Boucicault's Greatest Irish Drama, in 3 Acts, "THE SHAUGHRAUN." Cast of Characters.

Father Dolan's niece, in love | Miss G. WHITEFORD. with Conn ... Claire Ffolliott (a Sligo

VERA PATEY. lady) ...... Arte O'Neale (in love with MAUDE HARE. Robert)..... Mrs. O'Kelly (Conn's Mo-E. LEAMINGTON. Bridget Madigan (a)

NELLIE ARLINE. Keener)...... Nancy Maione (a Keener) Captain Molyneux (a young English Officer .. Mr. W. CRIPPS. Robert Ffolliost (a Fenian Exile)..... CHARLES FIGHER.

Father Dolan (Parish Priest) ..... A. SUTCH. Corry Kinchella (a Squircen) ..... PHIL RAY. Harvey Duff (a Police Spy) ..... , H. M. IMANO. Sergeant Jones (of the W. HASSAN. 

(Blacklegs in ' W. HARRIS. Kinchella's A. H——N. (pay .......) (the Shaughraun, the soul of every fair, the life of every w. ke. and first fid- SHERIDAN.

As played by him in America and Australia. IRISH LOVE-MAKING. THE RETURN! D CONVICT. CONN AND HIS DOG "TA ITERS." THE ESCAPE.

dier at all wedd ngs.......

THE GREAT WAKE SCENE. DEATH OF HARVEY DUFF. Hongkong, 6th December, 1888.

CITY HALL, HONGKONG. HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY will perform

> GILBERT AND SULLIVAN'S OPERETTA "IOLANTHE,"

THURSDAY.

SATURDAY the 20th and 22nd December, at 9 O'CLOCK P.M

Tickets may be obtained from Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, on and after MONDAY, the toth instant, at 9 A.M. PRICE :- \$2 EACH.

R. LYALL, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 6th November, 1888.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO ADEN, PORT SAID, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, BRINDISI, PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON;

> BOMBAY, CALCUTTA AND AUSTRALIA.

N.B .- CARGO CAN BE TAKEN ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULY PO.TS, MARSEILLYS, TRIESTE, HAM-BURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "CLYDE," Captain W. W. Mudie, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, VIA BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th December, at

Cargo will be received on board until & P.M. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 F.M., on the day before sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General Cargo for London will be conveyed via Bombay with-

out transhipment, arriving one, week later than by the ordinary direct route via Colombo. For further particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hong-The Contents and Value of Packages are re-

quired to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. E. L. WOODIN,

Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, 6th December, 1888.

STEAM TO STRAITS AND BUMBAY THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

will leave for the above places on TUESDA the 11th instant, at NOOM Hongkong, 6th December, 1886.

To-day's Advertisements.

CHIARINI'S ROYAL ITALIAN CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE.



TO MORROW NIGHT.

NIGHT, At 8, commencing 9 P M. sharp.

THIS institution does not require bombastic Announcements, Its Vast Pavilions, first class Exhibition in all its Branches; Comfortable Accommodation, Brilliant Illumination; and a Splendid Menagerie of Formidable "Animals," speak for themselves.

PRICES OF ADMISSION :---Boxes with 6 Chairs ......\$12:00 Single Chairs in Boxes ..... 2.00 Carpet Seats ...... 0.60 

Children under q and Soldiers and Sailors n uniform Half Price to all parts of the house. Reserved places with Carpeted Seats and Gallery will be provided for Ladies only.

N.B.—SATURDAY AFTERNOON. GRAND EXTRA PERFORMANCE Doors open at 3 P.M., on Saturday, and every evening, half an hour before Performance. Specially for the Accommodation of Children.

L MAYA, Secretary. Hongkong, 6th December, 1888. ∵[1238

FOR SHANGHAL

THE Steamship

Captain G. Heuermann, will be despatched for the above Port, on SATURDAY, the 8th instant, at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 6th December, 1888.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. HAVE this day RESUMED CHARGE

Secretary.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1888. FOR SALE, CHEAP.

CEVERAL RELIABLE HACKS CARRIAGE PONIES.

A First-class London made DOG-CART

THREE BASKET CARRIAGES. all in good order.

For Particulars, Apply to ." No. 6, PEDDER'S HILL Hongkong, 20th May, 1886.

### Insurances.

NEGLECT OF LIFE ASSURANCE.

THERE is no feature of our civilised life that strikes a thoughtful man with more force than the neglect of LIFE ASSURANCE. By payment of a small quarterly subscription, any man of good health can secure a very large sum to his family in case of premature death, yet hundreds of families brought up in comfortperhaps in luxury-are left in extreme poverty every year from the bread winner having neglected to assure his life. In the East many a man lives up to his income, knowing well that if death cut him off suddenly, his wife and children would be left almost wholly unprovided for. All this can be prevented by Life Assurance.

EVERY FACILITY In connection with Life Assurance Business

is afforded by THE STANDARD LIFE OFFICE, one of the largest and wealthiest of the Provident Institutions of the United Kingdom. Forms of application and all information will be promptly afforded on application to any of the Standard Company's Agents, or to

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LD., Agents, Hongkong. Hongkong, 29th June, 1888. NOTICE

The man on insurance company, LIMITED. CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISES at CURRENT RATES on GOODS. Sec. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies of the state of the payer WOO LIN YUEN

Secretary. HEAD OFFICE No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST, Hongkong, 1st February, 1882."

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED.) 

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LOV-TSO-SHUN, Page 1 1 2 1 C 12

MANAGER/-HO/AMEL R MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken Four Rooms IVA At CURRENT RATES to all parts of the

HRAD OFFICE, 8 4 9 PRAYA WEST. Mongkong, 17th December, 1885.

Potices of Firms.

CHINA AND JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ON and after to-day Mr. A. SANDFORD has taken over the Company's Business

H. F. HAYLLAR, Acting Agent.

I HAVE this day taken charge of the Company's Husiness and all communications should be addressed to me. A. SANDFORD,

Hongkong, 1st December, 1888." [1224

NOTICE.

HAVE this day commenced Business as a SHARE and GENERAL BROKER. HECTOR SAMPSON, Office, No. 9, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, 1st December, 1888.

Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE:

THE Steamship "ARRATOON APCAR" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Hongkong

and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained Cargo remaining undelivered after the 10th

instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are hereby informed, that a claims must be made immediately, as none will

be entertained after the 8th instant. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Hongkong, 4th December, 1888.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. "DUKE OF WESTMINSTER," FROM SAN FRANCISCO, VANCOUVER,

YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their

Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 1st December, 1888.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE. ONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and to take

immediate delivery of their Goods from along-Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk

and expense. CHS. D. HARMAN,

Hongkong, 3rd December, 1888.

### To be Net.

TO LET.

DAXTER HOUSE EAST (No. 1, Hospital Road), from 1st January, 1889.

A. SETH. Hongkong, 5th December, 1888.

TO LET, FURNISHED.

Tthe Peak, "Donford," A FIVE ROOMED HOUSE with Tennis Court. Possession from the 15th instant to the 31st March, 1889, or

J. Y. V. VERNON. Hongkong, 3rd November, 1888.

T Bonham Road, "RHEDA," a SIX ROOMED BUNGALOW with Tennis

Possession from the 1st January, 1889. Apply to Jose M. Basa, No. 33, Pottinger Street.

Hongkong, 1st December, 1888. TO LET. DUNGALOW, No. 35, Pokfulum Road and

D Third Street. BELILIOS & Co. Hongkong, 30th November, 1888.

TO OOMS in "COLLEGE CHAMBERS."

DAVID SASSOON SONS & Co. Hongkong, 12th July, 1888.

FFICES and GODOWNS now occupied by the MESSAGERIES MARITIMES Co. being No. 8, Praya Central

Possession from 1st February next.

Apply to LAI HING & Co., No. 153, Queen's Road, Central,

Hungkong, 15th November, 1888.

T MAGAZINE GAP, from 1st December next A three well built and handsomely finished HOUSES-Two of Six Rooms each-One of Apply to

J. J. FRANCIS Bank Buldings Honglood 7th Morember, 1886.

untimations.

THE EAST BORNED PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-N ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above named Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th instant, at 4 P.M., when the subjoined Resolution, which was passed at the General Meeting of the Company held this day, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution,

RESOLUTION.

"That the Company do purchase for the sum of \$25,000 a selected block of 5000 acres of land in British North Borneo in the vicinity of the Company's, present land and for that purpose and to provide for the development of the said land that the Capital of the Company be increased by the issue of 1000 Shares at \$50 per share of which \$15 shall be paid up on allotment, \$15 per share on the 1st March, 1889, and the balance at such time as the Board shall determine."

B .- On confirmation of the above Resolution the following proposal will be submitted to the Shareholders :- " That the new shares be allotted amongst the Shareholders registered on the books of the Company on the 20th December, 1888, in the proportion of one new to every three old Shares and that as to fractional parts of any such new Shares which may accrue to any allottees, the Directors shall invite public tender for the Shares composed of such fractional parts and sell the same to the highest bidder- and any profit which may arise from such sale shall be distributed in due proportion amongst the severalallottees of such fractional parts."

By Order of the Directors, H. SHEPPARD.

Hongkong, 3rd December, 1888 NOW READY.

THE PRAYA RECLAMATION SCHEME. FULL ACCOUNT of the proceedings in A connection with this gigantic undertaking, reprinted from the Hongkong Telegraph. With plan of the city of Victoria, showing the intended

Reclamation. PRICE .....ONE DOLLAR. To be obtained at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LD. ; Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.'s; and Mr. W. BREWER'S.

Hongkong, 12th July, 1888 CHINA AND JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

13, PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG. IST of Subscribers to the TELEPHONE

EXCHANGE. I .- "Hongkong Telegraph " Office. 2.—Manson, Dr. P., M.D.

Cantlie, Dr. J. Hartigan, Dr. Wm. 3.-- Manson, Dr. P., M.D., (Peak). 4.--Vernon, J. Y. V.

5 .- Cantlie, Dr. J. 7.—Poesnecker, L. 8.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

9.—Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. 10. - Chater and Vernon. 11.-Judd, Walter, (Woodlands).

12.- "Daily Press," 13.—Russell & Co. 14.-E. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., Ld. Great Northern Telegraph Co.

15.—Central Police Station. 16.—Watzon, A. S., & Co., I.d. 17.—Douglas Lapraik & Co. 18 .- Butterfield and Swire,

19.-P. & O. Steam Navigation Co. 20.—Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ld. 21 .- Cruickshank, Wm., Pedder's Street. 22 -" Chipa Mail."

23.-Jordan, Dr. G. P. 24.-Hongkong and China Gas Co., Ld. 25.—Aberdeen Dock. 26.—Alice Memorial Hospital. 27.-Holliday, Wise & Co.

28.-McEwen, A. P. 29.-Peak Hotel. 31.-Gibb, Livingston & Co.

32.—The Hongkong Hotel, Public Telephone. 34.—Victoria Dispensary. 34 a .- Cruickshank, Wm.

36.—Ah Yon & Co., 80, Praya Central. 37.—Just, H. Z. 38.—Linstend & Davis. 39.-Foster, F. T. P. 40 .- The Borneo Co., Ld.

41.—Adamson, Bell & Co. 42.—Dodwell, F. 43.-Jordan, Dr. G. P., Pedder's Street. 44.-Government House,

45.-Hughes & Erra. 46.-Belilion & Co. 47.—Belilios, E. R., Caine Road. Victoria Peak.

40.—Carlowitz & Co. 50.—The Imports and Exports Office. 51.-Morris & Ray.

52.-Layton, B. 53.-Judd, Walter, 54.-Webber, J. F. 55.-Dowson, H.

56 .- Victoria Hotel, Public Telephone. 58 .- Sankey, Captain A., R. A. and Pape, CL. 59. - Soy Sing. Subscription to Exchange \$80 per Annum.

Acting Agent. Hongkong, 26th September, 1838. G. FALCONER & CO. TATCH and CHRONOMETER MANU-W FACTURERS and JEWELLERS.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS CHARTS and BOOKS. No. 48, Queen's Road Central [604 NOW READY. PRICE ......FIFTY CENTS.

HE LAW OF STORM in the EASTERNSEAS

W. DOBERCK. GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER MAYBEPROCUREDAT

Messrs, Kelly & Walsh, Limited, Hongkong, Lane, Crawford & Co. G. Falconer & Co. F. Blackhead & Co.

Mary went Views & Co.

Mary Brews:
The Hongkong Leegrach Cons.
Meart Could & Co. Sympa.

Mr. N. Moalle Arnoy

Meart Leegra Co. Foreign

Meart Leegra Co. Vollage Innited Margaria.

No. 529.

THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, to be held on the .spot, on

TUESDAY, the 11th day of December, 1888, at 3 P.M., are published for general information. By Command,

> ARATHOON SETH, for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 1st December, 1888.

Particulars of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on TUESDAY, the 11th day of December, 1888, at 3 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of Two Lots of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75

	,	N ·	H		Sale.	No. of
		70	8	Rural Building Lot No.	No.	Registry
		Magazine Gap, [100] (Mount Gough Road) [36.6] 173	Magazine Gap, (Mount Gough Road)	•	Locality.	
,	1	136.6	167	feet	Ä	Boun
		} 173	8	B	S	Boundary M
7	1	120	155	E.	E.	casurements.
7.1	3 °,	140	110	feet.	w.	ments,
,		20,800	16,050		Square ft.	Contents in
56		76	, U1 00	*	Rent	Annual
		2,080	1,605	•	Price.	Upset

No. 530.

THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, to be held on the spot, on

THURSDAY,

the 13th day of December, 1888, at 3 P.M., are published for general information. By Command.

ARATHOON SETH, for the Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 1st December, 1888.

Particulars of the letting by Public' Auction Sale, to be held on THURSDAY, the 13th day of December, 1888, at 3 P.M., by Order of His. Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75.

No of	Registry		Boundary	dary Me		surcencuts.	Contracts in	Annual	
Sale	No.	Locality.	N.	S.	ţ.	W	Square ft.		Price.
	Rural		feet.	fæt	ğ	<b>15</b>		•	•
, ,	Building Lots			١.		1			
. <del></del> .	No. 71	Aberdeen Road	300	300	300	38	90,000	ĮQĮ	900
					i,	- j. (3-		, , , ; ;	
			1 de 14 de 1				, en (* 1 1	1 p. e.	

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that Mr. CHAN CHAU TAM left my employment on the 31st day of August last and is now in n way connected with my Firm or Business and all authority either to sell or purchase or for any other thing. has been withdrawn from him and further I beg to inform the public that the labels on Firecrackers manufactured or sold by me will bear my old Hong Name of MAEN SHING and without this name attached none will be genuine and any brands without the name MAEN SHING " or with an additional character will be a fraud and any person found guilty of imitation will be prosecuted and punished according Dated this noth day of November, 1888.

#### Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

HANDSOME ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, FANCY GOODS, TOYS AND JAPANESE GOODS, SUITABLE FOR

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

#### SATURDAY,

the 8th December, 1888, at 2 P.M., at his Sale Rooms, Duddell Street, A VERY FINE SELECTION

> ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, Comprising:--

ICE WATER JUGS, ICE PAILS, TEA SETS and TRAYS, HANDSOME CENTER-PIECES, FLOWER VASES, WINE SER-VICE, VEGETABLE and FISH DISHES, SALAD BOWLS, FRUIT BASKETS, EGG STANDS, LIQUEUR STANDS, SARDINE BOXES, BUTTER COOLERS. CLARET TANKARDS, BISCUIT BOXES SUGAR BASKETS, NUT DISHES, SMOK-ING SERVICES, INKSTANDS, BELLS, GONGS, and a variety of other 'ARTICLES.

A FINE SELECTION OF FANCY GOODS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS SUITABLE FOR

XWAS PRESENTS. TOYS, TOYS, TOYS. A few very fine JAPANESE LACQUERED

and IVORY INCRUSTED PANELS, BAM-BOO BEAD BLINDS. The above will be on view on FRIDAY

TERMS OF SALE, -As Customary. G. R. LAMMERT,

Hongkong, 3rd December, 1888. ....[1219 PUBLIC AUCTION

· OF . HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PICTURES, PIANO, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions I from Mr. J. Cook to Sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY, the 10th December, 1888, at 2 P.M., at the "STAG: HOTEL,"

Queen's Road Central,-THE WHOLE OF HIS FURNITURE, &c.,

comprising :-CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUITE, MARBLETOP TABLES, MIRRORS, LACE CURTAINS, FENDERS and IRONS, PICTURES, ENGRAVINGS, COTTAGE PIANO, &c. EXTENSION DINING TABLES, CHAIRS,

WHATNOTS, SIDEBOARDS, CROCKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE, CUTLERY, IRON BEDSTEADS and MATTRESSES, WARDROBES, CHEST of DRAWERS,

MARBLETOP WASHING-STANDS, MAR BLETOP DRESSING TABLES, CONITES, CHANDELIERS, LAMPS, &c. A Quantity of BED-LINEN and TABLE-

LINEN, One RICKSHA; Four Handsome Street LAMPS, and Hand-

some Teak-Built BAR FIXTURES, COUN-TERS, MIRRORS, Two English BILLIARD TABLES in good condition with Balls, Cues, Lamps, etc.,

Complete. Catalogues will be issued previous to the sale and the above will be on view on SATURDAY P.M. TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

G. R. LAMMERT, Hongkong, 4th December, 1888.

# GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION,

THE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction, to be held on the

MONDAY. the 10th day of December, 1888, at 3 P.M., are published for general information.

By Command. ARATHOON SETH, for the Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 1st November, 1888.

Particulars of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 10th day of December, 1888, at 3 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of Twenty Lots of CROWN LAND, at Yaumati, Kowloon, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOTS.

Registry No.		Locality	Bounda Measurem			ments.		Annual !	Price
1		<u> </u>	N.	8.	R.	w.	3 E	Rt.	11
1 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 9 1 1 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 9	343 345 345 358 358 357 358 357 358 358 358 358 358 358 358 358 358 358	Kowloon PARAPARAPARAPARAPARAPARA	45 45 45	4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	15	15	675		100 100 100 100 100 100 100

CHS. J. GAUPP & CO., CHRONOMETER, WATCH, and CLOCK-MAKERS, JEWELLERS, SILVER, SMITHS, and OPTICIANS.

CHARTS and BOOKS. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS. Sole Agents for Louis Andemary Watches awarded the highest Prizes at every Exhibition; and for Voigtländer and Sohn's CELEBRATED OPERA GLASSES,

MARINE GLASSES, and Spyglasses

No. S. Queen's Road Central.

STEAMERS EXPECTED IN HONGKONG. STEAMERS. PROM. DATE DUE.

STEAMERS.	PROM.	DATE DUE.	AGENTS.
Daphne	Hamburg	December 6th	Siemssen & Co
Natal	Marseilles	December 6th	Messageries Maritimes.
BereniceAbyssinia	Triesto	December 7th	Austro-Hung, Lloyd's Co.
Gutbrie	Port Darwin	December 10th	Russell & Co.
Propontis Peshawur	Cape Town	December 10th	Geo. R. Stevens & Co.
Merionethshire	London	December 11th	Adamson, Bell & Co.
Stura	Genoa	December 12th	Carlowitz & Co.

STEAMERS LOADING IN HONGKONG.

- 1	1	• • • •		THEIR BUSINESS
DESTINATION.	VESSELS.	AGENTS.	DATE OF LEAVING.	IS.
Inndon &c. via Sum Canal	Clarks	-D & O C N C-	**	NOW OPEIN.
London,&c., via Suez Canal	Annadan	P. & U. S. N. Co	Dec. 19th, at noon.	
Marseilles, via Saigon, &c.	Anadyr	Messageries Maritimes.	Dec. 12th, at noon.	THIS DEPARTMENT, being considered of
Bremen, & Ports of Call	Preussen	Melchers & Co	Dec. 23rd, at 10 a.m.	
Trieste, via Straits, &c	Berenice	Austro-Hung, Lloyd's Co.	Dec. 11th, at noon.	' the FIRST IMPORTANCE, is entirely
Genoa, via Bombay, &c	Stura	Carlowitz & Co	Dec. 20th, at noon.	under the control of fully qualified and ex-
San Francisco, via A., &c.,	City of Peking	Pacific Mail S. S. Co	Dec. 8th, at t-p.m.	
San Lightersoo' Air Linguin	Arabic	O. & O. S. S. Co	Dec. 10th, at 2 p.m.	perienced EUROPEAN ASSISTANTS.
ARICONACI, D.C., AIR IC. (AC.)	Parthia	Adamson, Bell & Co	Dec. 13th, at 3 p.m.	
Sydney and Melbourne	Pathan	Gibb. Livingston & Co.	Dec. 1cth. at a p.m.	
Sydney and Melbourne	Whampoa	Butterfield & Swire	Dec. 12th, at 4 p.m.	The DRUGS used in preparing prescriptions are
Calcutta, via Straits	Arratoon Apcar	D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.	Dec. 8th, at noon.	of the BEST and PUREST QUALITY
Straits and Bombay	Venetia	P. & O. S. N. Co	Dec. 11th, at noon.	
Sourabaya, via S'pore:/&cc	Almora	Tardine, Matheson & Co.	Dec 7th at 2 mm	obtainable.
Yokohama, via N'saki, &c.	Verona	P. & O. S. N. Co	Dec. oth. daylight.	
Magazaki and Yokonama.	Duke of Westminster	Adamson, Bell & Co	December oth.	THE ENTIRE STOCK
Nagasaki, Kobe, &c	Merionethshire	Adamson, Bell & Co	December 13th.	I HE ENTIRE STOCK
Kobe	Thyra	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Dec. 11th, daylight.	<b>OF</b>
Shanghai, Kobe, &c	Natal	Messageries Maritimes.	To-morrow at noon	CHEMICALS,
Shanghai	Peshawur	P. & O. S. N. Co	Quick despatch	
Shanghai	Peking	Siemssen & Co.	Dec 8th at 4 nm	DRUGS, and
Swatow and Bangkok	Kong Beng	Yuen Fat Hong	To-morrow at 8 a m	MEDICINES,
Coast Ports	Haitan	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Dec 8th at noon	
7.70 (40)		Bun militure or con	Den out, at noon	HAVE BEEN
' '				

#### Intimations.

EX S.S. "GLENARTNEY" AND "CLYDE." FENDERS and FIRE IRONS.

NEW CARPETS and MATTINGS. FLOOR OIL CLOTH & LINOLEUMS. | BERAMBULATORS. TABLE LINEN and NAPKINS. COLOURED TABLE CLOTHS. CARPET SQUARES—An immense variety. BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS. TOYSI

COOL VASES. HEATING and COOKING STOVES. ELECTRO PLITED WARE. BRONZE and FANCY ORNAMENTS. TOYS!!!

W. POWELL & Co. Victoria Exchange, Hongkong, 26th November, 1888.

PIANOS PIANOS SALE PIANO TUNER AND REPAIRER.

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED, EX S.S. "NIOBE," A NEW LOT OF

Black and Walnut, especially built at my own design including all improvements, so very much needed in This Climate. All my orders have been executed by my Piano Agents in Berlin to my entire satisfaction.

A short visit of inspection to my new premises will fully repay the trouble. No. 22, ELGIN STREET.

Hongkong, 25th October, 1888.

F. Blackhead & Co.

SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAIL-MAKERS,

PROVISION MERCHANTS, NAVY CONTRACTORS.

GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

No. 11. Praya Central,

(Opposite Pedder's Wharf).

RAHTJEN'S GENUINE

COMPOSITION THE BOTTOMS OF IRON SHIPS CARBOLINEUM AVENARIUS

PRESERVATIVE AGAINST ROTTING, DECAY, &c., of WOOD. CHR. MOTZ & Co., BORDEAUX, CLARETS

IMPERIAL CHAMPAGNE, LA GRANDE MARQUE. FLENSBURG STOCKBEER,

ENGINEERS AND BLACKSMITHS' TOOLS AND EVERY KIND OF SHIP'S STORES AND REQUISITES ALWAYS IN STOCK

REASONABLE PRICES. ALL KINDS OF

SUPPLIED AT THE SHORTEST NOTICE. Honglenng, 1st January, 1885; MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA.

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE MILKE COAL MINE.

DUNKER COALS can be supplied to any D Steamer lying in the harbour or coming alongside the KOWLOOM WHARF on application to the Undersigned. Y. FUKUHARA,

Hongkong, 10th January, 1888. HONGKONG TIMBER YARD. WANCHAL.

Hongleong, 24th June, 1881

Always on Hand

Acting Manager.

L MALLORY, Proprietor. Houghoug, 17th Avgust, 1968.

FOR SALE.

AT WHOLESALE PRICES. C'ACCONES' SHERRY; PORT, CLARETS. BURGUNDY, HOCKS, CHAMPAGNES. BRANDIES, WHISKIES. "EMPIRE" ALE and STOUT. MACHINERY, GAS ENGINES, "EMPIRE" LUBRICATORS.

SINGER'S SEWING MACHINES. COOKING STOVES, SCALES. PAINTS, OILS and VARNISH. BICYCLES and TRICYCLES. JUVENILE VELOCIPEDE HORSES and TRICYCLES.

BICYCLE WHEELS for JINRICKSHAS. SODA WATER MACHINERY. PEYE'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS. Apply to W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,

Bank Buildings. Hongkong, 20th September, 1888.

NOTICE. IEYE'S SANITARY COMPOUNDS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned have this day been appointed SOLE AGENTS for the sale of these PERFECT DISINFECTANTS, and are prepared to supply quantities to suit purchasers, at Wholesale Prices, Extra Specia terms for Shipping and large Orders. Sir ROBERT RAWLINSON, C.B., C.E., Chief Sanitary Engineer, Local Government Board London, says

"It is the best Disinfectant in use." W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., Bank Buildings. Hongkong, 1st October, 1888,

FOR SALE, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, WATERBURY WATCHES.

the Handiest, Cheapest, and Best Time-keepers invented. PRICE THREE DOLLARS MACH \$9 REPAIRS NEVER EXCEED 50 CENTS

for each Watch.

Orders from Outports to be accompanied with Remittance for Cost. THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA, (Sole Agents in Japan and China for the Sale of the above Watches,) 10, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Opposite Marine House.

Hongkong, 20th August, 1888. A. G. GORDON & CO.

Ingineers, Launch Builders, GENERAL and GOVERNMENT THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. CONTRACTORS, IRONMONGERS, COM- Honorable C. P. CHATER. MISSION AGENTS, VALUATORS, IRON and TIMBER MERCHANTS.

WORKS;

BOWRINGTON, EAST POINT. OFFICE : CORNER OF PEDDER STREET AND PRAYA.

STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED. Hongkong, and September 1888

HE Fast Steam Launch "ELK " is always Les kept under steam off Pedder's Wharf and is at the service of the public for proceeding to REGON PINE SPARS and LUMBER and from Steamers, Picule and Bathing requested Parties, etc. For particulars, apply to CRUICKSHANK & Co., LA

**Untimations** 

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA LIMITED.

DEG to announce to the MEDICAL PROFESSION, and to the European and Chinese community of Hongkong that the

DISPENSING DEPARTMENT

THEIR BUSINESS

PREPARED AND SELECTED

DAKIN BROS. of LONDON, A FIRM

ESTABLISHED, and WHOSE NAME has been A Guarantee, for nearly Three quarters of

a century. 22 QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Hongkong, 1st December, 1888.

BIS DAT QUI CITO DAT. SOLDIERS & SAIILORS FAMILIES' ASSOCIATION,

FOR AIDING THE WIVES AND FAMILIES OF MENTOF ALL BRANCHES OF THE LAND AND SEA FORCES OF THE UNITED KINGDOM.

> PATRON: HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN.

PRESIDENT:

H. R. H. THE PRINCESS OF WALES. BRANCH of this most useful and beneficent Association, now so widely extended over England and India, has been started in this Military command, under the name of THE HONGKONG AND STRAITS SETTLEMENTS SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

FAMILIES' ASSOCIATION. It is formed for the purpose of aiding the Wives and Families of men of all branches of H. M. Forces now serving or who shall hereafter serve in Hongkong or in the Straits Settlements, and co-operating generally with the Parent Association in England, by collecting funds and furnishing information about the families of soldiers and sailors serving here,

who may need assistance at home. The Association in Hongkong is under the management of a General Committee consisting

Mrs. Cameron, President. Mrs. MAXWELL. Vice-Presidents.

Mrs. Bell-Irvino, Mrs. Burdon, Mrs. CRASTER.

Mrs. MACKINTOSH, Mrs. Noble. With Mr. THOMAS JACKSON as Treasurer, and the Undersigned as Honorary Secretary. The following extract from the Rules is

published for general information :-5.—Any person being a member of the General or any branch Committee, or being an annua subscriber of not less than five dollars to the funds, shall be a member of the Association. 6.—Any donor of not less than Fifty dollars, and any person who shall have collected and paid to the funds of the Association a sum of not less than Three hundred dollars, shall be a Life

his pulpit for a sermon in aid of the Associaton, and from whom a like sum of not less than fifty dollars be received shall also be Members of the

Association. 8.-Every Member of the Association shall have one vote at the Annual or any Special Meeting of the Association. A Regiment may vote by its Colonel and a Ship by its Captain or other. Commanding Officer; or in either case by any Commissioned Officer in Her, Majesty's Army or Navy, nominated in writing for the Regiment or Ship by the Colonel, Captain, or

other Commanding Officer. 9.—All annual subscriptions to the Association shall become due on the 1st day of January in each year, and shall be paid to the Treasurer or the Bankers of the Association : Members joining the Association after the 30th of September shall be considered as becoming subscribers from the 1st day of January, following

LIVE MEMBERS, Lieutenant-General CAMERON, C.B. The Northamptonshire Regiment: MAJOR CHURCHILL, 58th REGIMENT. No. 5 BATTERY. 1st Big. E. Div., R.A. No. 7 , ret Brig. W. , Mrs. GRANVILLE SHARP.

H. N. MODY, Esq. Honorable J. BRLL-IRVING. E. R. BELILIOS, Esq. E. MACKINTOSH, Esq. HOLLIDAY, Esq. Honorable P. RYRIE. J. J. FRANCIS, Esq., Q.C. Honorable F. STEWART. G. E. NOBLE, Esq. GERALD SLADE, Esq.

Honorable B. LAYTON.

W. G. BRODIE, Esq.

Intimations.



able been use Lamplough's Prantic Saling. It strikes at the root of disease, improving Digestion by clearing away obstructions from the Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, and Bowsin, and at the same time renovating the Blood, eradicating poisonous and feverish humours. See large Advs.

"FOR THE BLOOD IS THE LIFE"

THE GREAT BLOOD PURIFIER AND

COR cleansing and clearing the blood from I all impurities. It cannot be too highly recommended. For Scrofula, Scurvy, Skin and Blood Diseases,

Cures Ulcerated Sores on the Neck. Cures Ulcerated Sore Legs.

Cures Blood and Skin Diseases. Cures Glandular Swellings. Clears the Blood from all impure matter. From whatever cause arising.

Specific for Gout and Rheumatic pains, for it removes the cause from the blood and bones. As this mixture is pleasant to the taste, and warranted free from anything injurious to the most delicate constitution of either sex, the Proprietors solicit sufferers to give it a trial to test its value.

THOUSANDS OF TESTIMONIALS. Clarke's Blook Mixture is sold in Bottles 28, od. each, and in cases, containing six times the quantity, Its .- sufficient to effect a permanent cure in the great majority of long standing cases, by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the world. Proprietors, the Lincoln and Midland Counties Drug Company, Lincoln,

CAUTION.

NE BOX OF CLARKE'S B 41 PILLS is warranted to cure all discharges from the Urinary Organs, in either sex (acquired or constitutional), Gravel and Pains in the Back. Guaranteed free from Mercury. Sold in Boxes, 45. 6d. each, by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the World. Proprietors: The Lincoln and Midland Counties Drug Com-

THE STEAM LAUNCH COMPANY, LIMITED,

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

December, 1888. Shareholders will please pay the amount due upon their Shares to the Hongkong AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

A. G. GORDON,

Secretary. Hongkong, 30th November, 1888 THE HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM-

will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 21st inst., both days inclusive, MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers

Hongkong, 1st December, 1888. THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY,

I M. E (to take effect from the 1st of November).

The CARS RUN as follows between ST. OHN'S PLACE and VICTORIA GAP: WEEK DAYS. -1018 to 10 AM every quarter of an hour.

12 to 2 P.M. half hour. guarter of an hour. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.45 and 11 P.M.

12 to 3 P.M. every half hour. 3 , to 7 P.M. every quarter of an hour. pecial Cars may be obtained on application.

Single Tickets are sold in the Cars : Five-Cent Coupons and Reduced Tickets at the Office of MACEWEN, PRICKEL & Co. General Managers,

50 & 52 Queen's Road, Hongkong, 31st October, 1888, [539]

Copies of the Rules may be had on application to the Undersigned.

Subscriptions and Denations are earnesized to the General Committee of the Gene TTANTED to prochage in a good situation in

WORLD-FAMED RESTORER.

Eczema, and Sores of all kinds, it is a neverfailing and permanent cure.

It Cures Old Sores. Cures Blackheads, or Pimples on the Face. Cures Scurvy Sores. Cures Cancerous Ulcers.

Clarke's Blood Mixture is the only real

England. Trade Mark-"Blood Mixture."

Purchasers of Clarke's Blood Mixture should see that they get the genuine article. Worthless imitations are sometimes palmed off by unprincipled vendors. The words "Lincoln and Midland Counties Drug Company, Lincoln; England," are engraved on the Government Stamp, and "Clarke's: World-famed Blood Mixture," blown in the Bottle, without which none are Genuine.

pany, Lincoln, England,

THE SECOND CALL of TEN DOLLARS per Share is due on the 20th day of

By Order,

WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FOURTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHARFHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the Hongkong 7.—Every Regiment or Ship which shall Horax, on FRIDAY, the 21st instant, at 18 contribute a sum of not less than fifty dollars, O'CLOCK FORENOON, for the purpose of receiving and every Incumbent who may grant the use of the Report of the General Managers, and Statement of Accounts to the 30th November, 1888, and of declaring Dividend. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

Windsparition LIMITED. 44 1/2

SUNDAYS CHURCH TRAM at 10.40 A.M.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE,

MACAO. Parvilly Charles